

## BRO. CONE

## Gives His Side of His Expulsion from Church Membership.

(Editor Interior Journal.)

A certain statement having appeared in the INTERIOR JOURNAL of March 21, concerning the exclusion of "Deacon Cone" from the Hustonville Baptist church, I feel constrained thereby, under a sense of duty, and for the sake of truth, to bestow upon it such attention as its contents merit. The said statement bears the signatures of J. D. Briscoe (intended for Burton, I presume) and W. H. Badgett, committee, and purports to have been "done by the order of the church on the 21st Saturday in March, 1893." My response shall be as brief as possible, but I shall seek to make myself understood.

1st. The aforesaid statement possesses the merit of containing one-half truth only. It is true that "on Saturday before the 21st Sunday in February, 1893, the Hustonville Baptist church did legally (10 vs. 5) exclude from her fellowship Deacon N. J. Cone." My alleged crime was that I had handed the elements of the Lord's Supper to J. B. Green, an elder in the Presbyterian church, which I confess to have done. The remainder of the official statement, so called, can be more correctly estimated as to its quality when I shall have analyzed it and exposed its inwardness to the light of truth.

2nd. It is affirmed that "during the above action" I myself constantly affirmed myself to be a "very zealous member and one of the best informed officers of the church." After the vote of my exclusion had been taken, I simply stated that I had willingly contributed of my money for the support of this church, but made no reference whatever to my claim to superior Bible information as compared with others. As to my Christian character, it is in the hands of my neighbors, and I cheerfully submit to their verdict and will abide the result without complaint. I have received the universal sympathy of members of all churches and of the world, and also very generally of the Hustonville Baptist church, except Rev. John Riffe and his little party, whom he has successfully indoctrinated into his hard shell theology.

3d. On the occasion of my ordination it is stated that I "solemnly vowed" my adherence to "restricted" communion. Had I done so, would I thereby have lost the right of private judgment and the liberty to receive any additional knowledge? If not, this statement is without any force. But "Deacon Cone" made no such solemn vow to human dictation. During my ordination service I gave to Rev. John Riffe, the author of my expulsion, neither one word, sign nor token of any kind, as expressive of my "avowal" of my adherence to "restricted communion." I expressed neither assent nor dissent from any word he may have uttered during that ceremony.

4th Error. On the occasion when I passed the emblems to J. B. Green, the author states that "Bro. Green chanced to be present, but consistently did not come forward." Bro. Green did not "chance" to be present, as he was superintending both Sunday schools in the Baptist house while his own church-house was being repaired, and by invitation of Rev. John Riffe.

The writer (whoever he is) makes the impression that "Bro. Green" was seated in some out of the way corner, where he would not be expected to commune. Then that "Deacon Cone pompously went to Bro. Green and handed him the emblems!"

The facts in the case are—Bro. Green was already and all the time on the front seat, except one, about in the centre of the house and in front of the pulpit and of Rev. John Riffe officiating at the table, and where he could not have been passed by, without attracting the attention of others that the elements had been refused him! Alas! alas!

4th Error. "But Deacon Cone pompously went to Bro. Green and handed him the elements!" that is, went out of his way to get to him; and did all this "pompously" besides! Deacon Cone may not see himself as others see him, yet Deacon Cone is aware that kind Providence has bestowed upon him a roundness, a compactness and robustness of personality that might possibly make the impression upon the mind of the less-favored that his movements were characterized by an unbecoming "pompousness." But Deacon Cone can charitably suppose that his alleged "pompousness" only appears real to those upon whom nature has refused to bestow such qualities!

4th. "Both pastor and deacons labored tenderly and earnestly with the offender for two months, but the more stubborn he became." Here again my conscientious convictions are characterized as "stubbornness," and this is laboring "tenderly with the offender!" Deacons George Riffe and W. H. Badgett visited me once and asked me if I believed in open communion. My reply was that I believed in neither inviting nor debarring any who might desire to commune,

but let each one act upon his own convictions. If my convictions of truth and duty forbid adherence to restricted communion, as they do, am I to be branded with the sin of stubbornness and for it excluded from the church? Be it so. Mordecai refused to bow to Haman. Let Haman erect his gallows, but let him beware that he be not its first victim!

5th Error. When "called" to trial at the January meeting, he came not to answer the charge, "but to charge the church." I did answer the charge directly and Rev. John Riffe knows it, by stating that my own belief was neither to invite nor debar any one from the ordinance. I furthermore stated that the other deacons had passed the elements to members of other churches ever since the house had been built, and as no charge had ever been made against him this difference seemed to indicate a feeling of personal dislike upon the part of Rev. John Riffe.

6th Error. I am charged with saying that I was "better informed and knew more Baptist doctrine than all the rest of the church." This charge is untrue in every particular. Finally, Deacon Badgett, whose name is appended to the alleged official statement, on the same occasion at which I passed the elements to Bro. Green, passed them to Jos. E. Huffman, a member of the Christian church. The said Badgett has shielded himself from the clerical wrath of Pastor Riffe, by stating that Huffman reached over and snatched the elements!

If I was not ruthlessly excluded, why did they not accept my proposition to leave it to our three former pastors, or either one of the two living in Kentucky (B. F. Taylor or R. B. Noel), or Bro. Wigham's motion to "drop the charge against Bro. Cone, as all the deacons were guilty of the same, and draw the line from hereafter, then if they did it again to deal with them accordingly?"

N. J. CONE.

## LIBERTY.

—Jas. W. Alcorn, of Stanford, came in Tuesday.

—Deputy Sheriff W. Clay Adams had another exciting foot race a few days ago on Brush Creek. He had dismounted to serve a writ on a young man for carrying concealed weapons, when the youngster took to his heels and made fast time for 200 yards, but Adams overhauled him. The Brush Creek fellows seem to have considerable aversion to enter that queer shaped rock pile, situated in the depths of one of the Liberty ravines, which so puzzles strangers to know its uses, but which in this section is known by the name of the Casey county jail. They need not be frightened at its uncouth appearance, for it isn't any too secure if they want to get out.

—The term of the Casey circuit court under the new constitution opened Monday with Judge Wallace Jones on the bench and J. C. Muncie, Commonwealth's attorney, present. The new judge gave elaborate instructions, not only to the grand jury, but also to the officers in their various duties and powers under the new order of things. We have heard his instructions commended by the law-loving citizens and have heard no adverse criticisms from any. While there was a large crowd in attendance, there seemed to be an absence of the usual number of legal gentlemen from a distance. We noticed, however, among them R. J. Breckinridge, of Danville, M. E. Tarter, of Pellyton, and J. F. Hays and Brant Stone, of Jamestown. Among the distinguished men from other towns present were J. E. Chilton, of Louisville, E. C. Walton, Lewis Withers and W. P. Tate, Stanford; Dr. Edward Alcorn and Jim Allen, from Hustonville; James Crow and George Alford, from McKinney. In the afternoon there was a fine display of blooded horses on the public square and Middleburg street, but your business manager no doubt took a note of it.

—At this writing a number of "misdeemeanor and minor cases have been tried before the court and verdicts of guilty returned against the offenders and fines fixed, but no important criminal cases. Wm. Allen for the killing of Barlow and John Statham charged with maliciously wounding Joe Brown, have both been continued till next term.

—The Hon. W. H. Wadsworth, of Mayeville, who was stricken with paralysis Sunday morning, died, never having regained consciousness. He served in the Legislature, three terms in Congress and was Grant's minister to Mexico.

—Casswell Bennett, the son of Chief Justice Bennett, who has been in jail at Frankfort, for several weeks on a technical charge of forgery, but kept there more to check a dissipated career, was allowed to leave the prison and the State, the prosecution against him being withdrawn.

—The L. & N. has purchased of the Southern Iron Co. the narrow-gauge road running from Dickson, Tenn., to and beyond Centerville. The road will be changed to a standard gauge and will give a direct line through the great mining regions to Birmingham, and will be of great importance.

## WILLIAMSBURG, WHITLEY COUNTY.

—Born, to Mrs. Gorman Jones, on last Friday, at Knoxville, a girl.

—The bees have begun to bite and the fishermen are having lots of fun.

—Charles R. Brock, of London, was here Monday. Mrs. M. A. Moore is very sick.

—The board of supervisors raised the taxable value of property in this county nearly \$200,000.

—Mr. Farra, of the Bible College, Lexington, will preach at the Christian church next Sunday.

—There was a box dinner at Rockhold last Saturday for the benefit of the new Baptist church at that place.

—The Kentucky Lumber Co. will begin the erection of a planing mill soon to replace the one that was burned last fall.

—The winter term of the Institute closed last Thursday and there was a vacation of two days, the spring term opening Tuesday.

—On Sunday afternoon a party of young people secured some boats and took a pleasant excursion about two miles up the river.

—R. S. Crawford and G. W. Chambers were in Corbin Tuesday. Miss Gertrude Lester went to Mt. Vernon Sunday to visit Miss Newcomb.

—Mr. Will Blakely, of Pineville, spent Sunday with his best girl here. Miss Nora Hill spent from Thursday until Monday with Miss Laura Brock, near London.

—Miss Mystice French, of Richmond, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Huggins, returned home Saturday. Mrs. Huggins accompanied her. S. V. D. Stout is attending court at Somerset.

—The Cleonian Society of the Institute gave an entertainment last Thursday evening. Long before the time for the exercises to begin the chapel was full to overflowing. The young ladies did well, showing that much time and labor had been spent in preparation.

—Thomas Adkins, an attorney at this place, who has been figuring quite conspicuously in the Louisville papers of late, on account of an escapade made by him at a house of ill-fame three weeks ago, and who has since been arrested for changing the amounts of some claims bought by him at the last term of the circuit court and placed under \$500 bond, has departed for parts unknown. There had been two warrants issued and County Attorney Perkins had some more affidavits in his possession, upon which several more would have been issued, and it is supposed he got news of this and thought it better to leave while \$500 would pay him out.

—Since our last writing death has invaded our town and taken one of our most estimable women. On last Friday morning Mrs. H. C. King, wife of one of our attorneys, was called away, leaving two little children, the youngest only nine days old. Mrs. King's maiden name was Cole and her parents live near Marion, Va., where she was taken for burial Sunday morning. On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Mary J. Rector died at her home of pneumonia. Mr. Rector has only been with us a few months, having moved here from near Buckey, Tenn., where Mrs. Rector was taken for burial. She left three little children. To the husbands and children we extend our heartfelt sympathy and trust that they will turn to that time for consolation. Who only can console under such sad bereavements.

## MIDDLEBURG.

—Saturday, April 15, will be horse show day here. There will be several good ones on exhibition and a big crowd is expected. The band will furnish music and a general good time is anticipated.

—B. A. Smith was here last week representing the Cumberland Building and Loan Association at Chattanooga, Tenn., but met with poor encouragement, as the people here are too much interested in the bank.

—John Wilcher and his brother Nelson started Tuesday morning with a number of men and teams for Hell's Creek, in Lee county, where they propose getting out a large quantity of tan bark. They will run a sufficient force to peel some 1,000 or 1,200 cords.

—Rev. J. Q. Montgomery preached at Grove (formerly Deadwood) Sunday at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. N. Bowling preached two discourses at the Baptist church, while on a visit to his family; lately, that we hear highly spoken of by those who heard them. Rev. Vine will preach at the Baptist church Sunday.

—Miss Nellie Vilas, daughter of the U. S. Senator, died from the effects of treachery performed for malignant quincy. The Senator was tarpon fishing in some out of the way place in Florida and could not be reached.

—Cyrus P. Walbridge, republican, was elected mayor of St. Louis by a majority of about 3,000. The republicans also secured the collector and it is thought that they have secured every one of the six councilmen and a majority of the house of delegates.

## THE STATE OF CASEY.

The I. M. Sojourns a Few Days in That Pleasant Section.

It has been my pleasure this week to mingle with the good people of Casey county and the mingling proved to be a pleasure indeed. Not only did I enjoy the trip, the meeting of old acquaintances and the forming of new ones, but I enjoyed three days of work, which, reference to our books shows, the largest amount ever done for the INTERIOR JOURNAL in the same length of time. "Hard times," of which so many people complain, did not trouble me at all, and I found the clever Caseyite, as a general thing, ready to settle for his paper and give it a strong endorsement to his friends, if any happened around while he was getting his receipt.

Monday was the first day of circuit court and "horse show" day as well, and a large crowd was in town. It was the initiatory court since the change in the districts and many came to see how Judge Wallace Jones and Commonwealth Attorney Muncie were going to conduct affairs. I heard no complaint of either of the gentlemen, but on the contrary, heard them both highly praised. Judge Jones' charge to the grand jury was clear and forceful and no doubt many an ill-fitted whisky dealer shook in his boots while the judge dealt on the whisky subject. Both of the gentlemen are determined to at least lessen the sale of whisky in the county, if not stop it entirely.

I spoke of horse show day above, but did not finish. There were a good many on parade and some of them were richly bred fellows indeed. Several of those whose pedigrees are found in our horse columns were there and all made a first-class showing. George Alford, who exhibited Sentinel, told me that he booked nine mares, while Mr. J. Steele Carpenter, with Wallace Denmark, E. Smith Powell with Ericsson, Jr., and Jim Crow with his time sandler, Peck's Hambletonian, each did good business.

Liberty is the same quaint and quiet little town and very little change has been made since I wrote from here last, although improvements are to be made soon. Situated so far from a railroad and in rather a poor county it is not strange that the town is at a standstill and it should indeed be commended for not deteriorating.

The principal improvement I heard spoken of is the more than probable building of a hotel by Mr. R. T. Pierce, who kept a hotel for years and who was burned out some three years ago. The proposed building, it is said, will be a three-story frame hotel and will contain 50 rooms. To a man up a tree it looks like this is most too much hotel for the place, but it can be safely said that if Bob Pierce builds it, he will make money out of it as he has done out of everything he has tried.

A rather fishy story was told me by a responsible man of the Middleburg vicinity and were it of a different nature I would vouch for its truthfulness. He said that on the night of the cyclone, which did Rowland so much damage, a substance resembling pulverized sulphur fell and in some of the rain barrels it was 1 of an inch deep. A sprinkle of it was seen on the ground around Middleburg, but it seemed to melt almost the instant it touched the ground. Believe this or not, as you like.

Fishing has been fine for the past two weeks and Green river seems to have a better supply this year than ever before. It is nothing unusual for the head of a family to run down to the river and catch a mess of fish before breakfast.

Mr. East Tarrant, who has been for the past year and a half writing a history of the "First Kentucky Cavalry," is nearly through his work and says the manuscript will be in the hands of our printer within the next six weeks. He thinks the book will contain between 400 and 500 pages and that the retail price will not exceed \$2. Besides telling of every conflict and every incident of importance, which happened to the cavalry during the late unpleasantness, steel engravings of many of the prominent participants will appear. It will certainly be a book of much interest to Mr. Tarrant's comrades, many of whom are alive, and hope it will pay the worthy author handsomely.

The Napier Hotel, which has recently been fitted up by mine host, C. W. Prescott, is doing the flourishing business it deserves. Mr. Prescott is a son-in-law of Capt. J. W. Whipp and is the right man for the business. Capt. Whipp spends a portion of his time around the hotel and fills admirably the role of entertainer.

For five long years there was not a child born in the corporate limits of Liberty and it looked as if the population would seriously diminish. This did not last always, however, and within the last six months an alarming number have come to bless many already happy unions. It is not necessary for one to prick his ears to catch the familiar wail there now, but on the other hand a wad of cotton in each ear would make sleep more of a possibility.

E. C. W.

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 rance.  
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 and her lovely home in Muncie, Ind.,  
 contains two rooms dearer to her than all  
 the others—her nursery and her library.  
 Although yet in her early twenties,  
 Mrs. Boyce has written many poems,  
 short stories and sketches for the leading  
 western papers. Much of her work has  
 been for the Chicago Inter Ocean. She  
 has contributed to the Indianapolis Sentinel  
 and the Indianapolis News and is a  
 delegate from Indiana to the World's fair  
 press convention. She is also a member  
 of the National Press League. Humorous  
 sketches and stories of Hoosier life are  
 especially Mrs. Boyce's forte, although  
 her poems for children are eagerly sought  
 for and liberally remunerated by the var-  
 ious periodicals for which she contribu-  
 tes.  
 Mrs. Boyce's home life is a very de-  
 lightful one. She is the mother of a lov-  
 ely boy, to whom she devotes much of her  
 time, and is the center of a charming  
 circle of people whom she delights by her  
 ready wit and gracious hospitality. She  
 is, moreover, a beautiful woman, and so  
 can summon to her aid in her work a  
 treasure both in mind and body.  
 It is a very pleasant thing to know of  
 talented home women. To read of them  
 helps and encourages the scores of women  
 who feel themselves to be capable of more  
 thought than is required for the daily  
 routine of house and home work, yet  
 who dread to try their wings for lack of  
 the word of encouragement.

**AUGUSTA PRESCOTT.**  
**TACT.**

**What We All Appreciate, but Very Few Possess.**  
 Once upon a time two little girls were  
 talking together, one of whom was a year  
 or two older than the other. Child No. 1  
 inquired, "How many valentines had you  
 this year?" The answer was rneful-  
 ly, "None at all." Without a mo-  
 ment's hesitation and with an admiring  
 smile the first said, "Oh, are you grow-  
 ing too old for valentines?"  
 That was exquisite tact. To be grown  
 up is the height of youthful ambition,  
 and the "left out" girl was thus instan-  
 taneously transported by her very neglect to a  
 coveted pre-eminence, while the little  
 belle set herself deferentially aside by  
 reason of her belatedness.  
 Dr. Holmes says, "Good breeding is  
 surface Christianity." And good breed-  
 ing is one name for tact. Its other name  
 is thoughtfulness. Those who boast in  
 the frequent assertion, "I haven't a par-  
 ticle of tact, you know," appear to think  
 that the lack implies a certain blunt  
 honesty. It implies selfishness. Anthony  
 Trollope declared once that we never  
 forget what we really cared to remem-  
 ber; that we only have poor memories in  
 certain lines, and because those are sub-  
 jects of small interest to us. It is cer-  
 tainly astonishing how few among one's  
 acquaintance have that blessed faculty  
 of setting one at one's ease; of regarding  
 others first and themselves last. If a  
 man or a woman is popular, it is on this  
 account. One can't be popular without  
 it, and one can't be altogether disliked—  
 no matter how unworthy in other ways  
 —who has cultivated this gift. It may  
 be a very tiny gift at first and largely  
 cultivated.

It should not develop into fussiness,  
 which is most wearing and tiresome.  
 It should not go so far as inquisitiveness,  
 although it must run along the lines of  
 friendly interest. "I think Miss B. is a  
 very graceless person," complained an  
 acquaintance one day. "She said to me  
 just now, 'Why, I always supposed you  
 were a Methodist.' After all the years  
 we've lived in the same town; she might  
 say me the compliment of finding out  
 where I went to church."  
 It is the implied flattery that makes  
 us—the wisest of us—purr under grace-  
 ful attention and feel at least the inclina-  
 tion to scratch if it is pointedly with-  
 held. Nobody really fancies being  
 rubbed the wrong way, even by a good,  
 kind hand.  
 There is a vast deal of talk in the world  
 about ingratiation. Isn't the foundation  
 of that complaint laid upon the truth  
 that not careless favors nor rough good  
 nature can excite a glow of thankfulness  
 as may the little deeds of kindness,  
 the little words of love that the old  
 rhyme tells us are what—not the great  
 things that only occur once in awhile—  
 will make this earth an Eden, "like to  
 heaven above?" Extremes are easy. It  
 is the just and exact middle course which  
 is hard. "Thank you for nothing" is  
 pert, but sometimes it is pertinent. Not  
 that which comes from the open hand,  
 but what is from the open heart, is wel-  
 come to the receiver of any good.

**RUTH HALL.**

It is a fatal mistake to try to shield a  
 woman from everything hard and disa-  
 graceable. Difficulties strengthen the  
 character, and roughing it a bit is whole-  
 some. The person who is cared for  
 through life like a baby will remain a  
 baby through life. Young babies are  
 very sweet; old babies not at all so.

**WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.**

**The Melancholy Story of Four Helpless Old Maids.**

First let me repeat my definition of an  
 old maid. An old maid is a woman who  
 wanted to marry, but never did, and is  
 sour and cranky in consequence. As  
 I have said, there are few old maids now,  
 but I heard an impressive story of four  
 of these unfortunates lately. Their father  
 thought women ought to be supported by  
 the men, and they thought so too. As  
 long as he lived the father took care of  
 them. They did not know how to do any  
 work and scorned it. After they were  
 all grown their father died. There was  
 nothing left to feed and clothe his four  
 daughters. They had one brother, with a  
 wife and family of his own. What do you  
 suppose these four abandoned, alleged  
 intelligent women in good society did?  
 Of course you will say they immediately  
 learned useful employments, went into  
 the noble world of work and earned their  
 own living, being too just and high spir-  
 ited to depend on the one brother. But  
 no! Not they! They every one slumped  
 down and hung like four millstones  
 around the neck of that one brother. So  
 they do to this day; so they have done  
 for 12 years. It is superfluous to say  
 the brother does not enjoy it. But these  
 girls were brought up to believe that  
 woman should be sweetly dependent on  
 man and look to him for support. They  
 have done so with a vengeance. They  
 are well on in years now and live all four  
 together in a house by themselves, with  
 nothing to do but take note of their  
 nerves and dyspepsia and consume patent  
 medicines. It is like a graveyard of  
 gloom and despair, that home of theirs.  
 They believed that woman's mission was  
 to marry; they missed it, and this radi-  
 ant, glorious and beautiful world became  
 only a place for them to nurse their  
 grievances. One of them came near be-  
 ing married once, but a month before  
 her bridal day she broke off the engage-  
 ment because she feared her husband  
 that was to be could not support her in  
 the style in which her generous brother  
 had done. She belonged to that class of  
 women utterly selfish, who look on men  
 only as instruments to provide them  
 with money. So the four lived and  
 abused the world and all mankind until  
 at length one of them became insane.  
 She is now in a lunatic asylum, mel-  
 ancholy victim of a false education and  
 having nothing to do but dwell on her  
 own wrongs and ailments. Anybody  
 would go crazy who lived like that.

It is better to be dependable than de-  
 pendent.

The New Century club building in  
 Philadelphia was planned and its con-  
 struction superintended by women, and  
 it is one of the best specimens of modern  
 fireproof houses extant. It has iron  
 stairways, its floors are laid in mineral  
 wool, and the lathing on the walls is of  
 steel wire. The club's new drawing  
 rooms are a marvel of convenience, ele-  
 gance and artistic beauty.

They do not call him the duke any  
 more. He is the "sissy man" now.

Every day comes the news that one or  
 the other house of some state legislature  
 has reported favorably a joint resolu-  
 tion submitting a constitutional amend-  
 ment for woman suffrage to the people.  
 The senate of the conservative old state  
 of Pennsylvania has reported such a  
 resolution.

One of the greatest of living women is  
 Mary Ellen Leese, orator, political agi-  
 tator and member of the Kansas bar.  
 Eloquent and logical beyond most, she  
 is absolutely fearless, and this is the  
 greatest quality of all in a moral war-  
 fare. Probably in the whole course of  
 her singularly eventful life it has never  
 occurred to her to conceal one of her  
 convictions of right and justice be-  
 cause it might be unpopular and incur the  
 frown of Mrs. Grundy. For this I glory  
 in Mary Leese.

Mrs. Taylor of Little Washington,  
 Pa., has done something in oils. She  
 began by making a few modest and care-  
 ful investments in the Pennsylvania oil  
 fields. She held them till they became  
 profitable; then sold them at an advance  
 and made other investments, or kept  
 them and sold the petroleum. Mrs. Tay-  
 lor is now worth \$5,000,000, won by her  
 own business shrewdness and industry.  
 She is able to support a husband.

A stained glass window has been  
 erected in Jevington church, England,  
 to the memory of the late Duke of Devon-  
 shire. It was painted by the women art  
 students of Wimbledon, and the subject  
 was the ascension of our Lord. Just  
 what connection the death of the old  
 Duke of Devonshire had with the as-  
 cension of our Lord is perhaps clearer to  
 the English mind than to that of an  
 American.

Nearly 500 women are employed as  
 station agents on the French railways,  
 but they get only half as much pay as  
 men. This is partly owing to the fact  
 that comparatively few occupations are  
 open to Frenchwomen, largely also to  
 the fact that women cannot vote. Deny-  
 ing women the right to vote and paying  
 women less than men for the same work  
 will both be looked upon as relics of bar-  
 barism in 1903. Just watch and see if  
 this is not so.

It is offensive in the extreme, this talk  
 that every once in awhile appears in  
 some newspaper about putting a tax on  
 bachelors and using other means to lure  
 young men into matrimony. If men do  
 not want to marry, let them alone. Won-  
 der ought to hold their own womanhood  
 and delicacy so high that they will be  
 considered to confer a favor on men by  
 consenting to marry them.

The success of the admirable state  
 fairs of Wisconsin is in no small mea-  
 sure due to the energy and organizing  
 power of Miss Frances L. Fuller of Mad-  
 ison, assistant secretary of the state ag-  
 ricultural society. She has held her of-  
 fice a number of years and makes out  
 the annual report of the society, also  
 preparing the premium lists.

The first railway train over the World's  
 fair grounds will be in charge of a pretty  
 girl engineer, Miss Ida Hewitt, a regular  
 locomotive engineer of Cairo, W. Va.  
**ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER.**

**LIVE STOCK**  
**PIG FEEDING.**

**Experiments in Carbonaceous and Nitro-  
 genous Diet at Cornell University.**  
 From bulletin 47 of the Cornell agri-  
 cultural station we extract the following:  
 Four Poland-China pigs about 3 months  
 old were divided into two lots of two  
 each Nov. 2 for experimental feeding to  
 compare nitrogenous and carbonaceous  
 rations.

In this experiment the animals of lot  
 2 were pigs of a sow fed a carbonaceous  
 diet until the birth of the pigs, and the  
 animals of lot 1 were pigs of a sow  
 fed a nitrogenous ration.  
 Some experiments of this nature have  
 shown that a ration of clear cornmeal  
 and water did not give the desired re-  
 sults as a carbonaceous ration, because  
 the animal would refuse to eat a suf-  
 ficient quantity of the clear meal to give  
 the desired gain. To avoid this diffi-  
 culty a little animal nitrogen in the form  
 of meat scrap was added to the ration  
 of lot 2 or the carbonaceous lot. This  
 animal nitrogen was offset by adding  
 scrap beef tallow to the ration.



The ration of lot 2 consisted of corn-  
 meal, 27 parts; beef tallow, 2 parts, and  
 meat scrap 1 part.  
 The ration of lot 1 consisted of corn-  
 meal, 27 parts; meat scrap, 1 part, and  
 skim milk. The amount of skim milk fed  
 to lot 1 varied somewhat from day to  
 day as the supply varied, so considerable  
 water was drunk by this lot during  
 the experiment. Fresh water was con-  
 stantly kept in water boxes accessible to  
 each lot during the entire experiment.

It will be observed that the nitroge-  
 nous lot made a much greater growth  
 than did the carbonaceous fed lot. The  
 general appearance of the hogs differed  
 even more than their difference in weight.  
 The picture is reproduced from a photo-  
 graph taken of the hogs after dressing  
 while they were yet on the shambles. It  
 will be noticed that the pigs of the ni-  
 trogenous fed lot were larger, longer and  
 showed a less tendency to lay on fat, as  
 seen in jowls of lot 2. There was also a  
 considerable difference in the proportion  
 of lean and fat meats of the two lots.

**Care of Working Teams.**

Do not work the horses or oxen too  
 hard at first if they have not been steady-  
 ly at work through the winter. A hard  
 day's work counts with them as it does  
 with the man who pitches the manure or  
 holds the plow, and if they are over-  
 worked they feel it the next day, and  
 if they are getting old or are very young  
 they feel it more than those in their  
 prime. It is very easy for the farmer to  
 so plan his work that neither man nor  
 beast need to continue for more than a  
 few hours at one kind of labor at this season  
 of the year.

Put up the team and let them have a  
 rest, while the men rest by exercising a  
 different set of muscles. Increase the  
 feed of the team a little, but not too  
 much at once. It is better that they  
 should have a little less than the ap-  
 petite demands than to have more than the  
 stomach will digest. And the men ought  
 to know this and be careful to eat no  
 more than is needed to supply the wants  
 of the system. Some of them do not,  
 but they usually know how to make the  
 next day's work easier if they have had a  
 bad night. The team would probably do  
 the same thing if they could stop when  
 they would.

Do not be afraid to give them careful  
 grooming. Rub out the perspiration  
 and wash off in cold water the places  
 where the harness or yoke bore the  
 heaviest. Do not rub on grease unless  
 the skin is broken, nor use any deco-  
 rations of oak bark or other tanning ma-  
 terial. Tanned hide may wear longer than  
 the natural skin, but it loses the power  
 of renewing itself, which the skin has.  
 If the skin is very sore, wash in warm  
 water, then in cool and afterward in  
 cold water and rub dry after the last  
 application. When working the team in  
 cart or plow, see that they are so at-  
 tached to the load as to be able to do the  
 largest possible amount of work with  
 the least knowledge of the laws of me-  
 chanics, but the driver of the team ought  
 to be able to notice when they are work-  
 ing too hard for the labor they are ac-  
 complishing, and if he cannot see the  
 remedy at once he should experiment  
 until he finds the best way or a  
 better way than he had before.—Ameri-  
 can Cultivator.

**Experiments in Lamb Feeding.**

With regard to feeding lambs, the Cor-  
 nell (N. Y.) agricultural experiment sta-  
 tion gives this as the summary of a set  
 of experiments:  
 First—Ensilage fed with hay to lambs  
 gave equally as good results as where all  
 hay had been fed, and the ensilage had  
 the advantage of being the cheaper food  
 —four pounds of ensilage being equiva-  
 lent to one pound of hay.

Second—Lambs fed on ensilage drank  
 less water than lambs fed wholly on dry  
 food, but the lambs fed ensilage con-  
 sumed more water in the food and the  
 water drank than those fed dry food.  
 Third—Where nitrogenous and car-  
 bonaceous rations were compared as  
 food for lambs, the individuals of the lot  
 of lambs receiving the nitrogenous ra-  
 tion made a more uniform gain in live  
 weight than the lot fed a carbonaceous  
 ration.

**BUZZING THE BEEKEEPER.**

**Select a Sheltered Spot For New Colonies**  
 This Spring.  
 The beekeeper should increase the  
 number of his bees each season, and it  
 may be that many of those who never  
 entered into the business will undertake  
 the work of increasing their income by  
 this method. From nearly all farmers  
 who have raised bees we hear that there  
 is a larger percentage of profit in bee-  
 keeping than in raising grains or garden  
 crops. The chief capital in beekeeping  
 is brains, patience and perseverance.

If colonies are started this spring, be  
 sure to select a place for them behind  
 some garden fence or hedge, where the  
 branches and leaves of the briars and  
 bushes will shield them from the raw  
 northerly winds. Bees in the woods al-  
 ways select such a sheltered place for  
 their home, and in the winter time they  
 will often live here without any other  
 protection. Many an old farmer keeps  
 his bees successfully all through the  
 winter by locating his hives in some sun-  
 ny, sheltered place behind the woodshed,  
 orchard or tract of thick timber.

In fact, a few colonies of bees can be  
 kept better probably behind a bee shed  
 than in any other place, and all through  
 the coldest weather they will live and  
 thrive. The raw, chilling winds from the  
 north and northwest are the most in-  
 jurious things that can threaten the  
 lives of the insects. Look out for the  
 March winds. It is often the most try-  
 ing month. The warm days give life  
 and restlessness to the bees, but they are  
 suddenly followed by raw, chilling winds  
 which carry death with them. The hives  
 that are protected by some windbreak  
 during this month will be the most suc-  
 cessful ones.

It is best to let the bees fly around  
 once in awhile during the warm days, if  
 they become restless, but great presen-  
 tation must be taken to protect them at  
 night. The sudden changes from the  
 day to the night may kill a whole col-  
 ony. This is often the case in the latter  
 part of March, although they may have  
 passed through the cold winter success-  
 fully. The winter protection cannot be  
 entirely removed until spring is really  
 here and cold night "snaps" are no longer  
 possible. Then arrangements for new  
 colonies should begin actively, for the  
 beekeeper's season has opened with the  
 appearance of the first blossom.—  
 Helen Wharburton in American Cultivator.

**Giving the Pigs a Start.**

"What kind of pasture do you use?"  
 "It is clover and timothy. Heretofore  
 in one field my pasture has been alsike  
 clover and timothy, which makes a better  
 growth than the common red. In this  
 field I feed off my fall pigs. In a box at  
 the outlet of a tile drain they get water  
 that never freezes except in very cold  
 weather. I also avoid any contagious  
 disease by watering them in this way.  
 On the stream that flows through my  
 farm my stock are often exposed to dis-  
 ease from hogs dying above my place.  
 My pastures in the main are timothy,  
 alsike and common red clover—the two  
 clovers in about equal quantities."

"I aim to give them a start toward in-  
 dependence when about the age of 10  
 days by giving them a little shelled corn,  
 or, better, wheat, in a pen to themselves  
 near the sow's nest. In that pen I want  
 a shallow trough containing a little slop  
 at a temperature of about 60 degrees.  
 This is made of brown middlings and  
 water. I scatter the shelled corn on  
 both sides of the trough, so that the pigs  
 passing over the trough are sure to get  
 into it and get a taste of the slop. I  
 have no skim milk, as I keep but one or  
 two cows, and the milk and kitchen slop  
 go to the poultry yard.

"Experience with 15 head of fall pigs  
 now on hand is to the effect that they do  
 as well with wheat as with corn and  
 slop. This lot never saw slop till they  
 were 10 weeks old, and so far as I can  
 tell they have done just as well as others  
 raised on slop and corn."—Cor. Rural  
 New Yorker.

**Live Stock Points.**

A successful chicken raiser recom-  
 mends that the water be given to the  
 fowls in a rusty tin pan. The iron from  
 the pan enters the water, and from the  
 water goes into the poultry and thus en-  
 riches their blood. It does not cost much  
 to try anyhow.

Some of the breeders of horses in the  
 west are in the business on a great scale.  
 One man has upon his ranch five distinct  
 breeds—both French and German coach  
 horses, Percherons, Belgian drafts and  
 Shires.

The mule industry is booming. A  
 Missourian thinks he has at present the  
 largest jack and jennet breeding farm in  
 the world. At this time he has as many  
 as 200 jacks on the farm.

A colt should be halter broken as soon  
 as it is old enough to stand firmly and  
 trot along by its mother; the sooner the  
 better.

Shear the wool away from suckling  
 ewes' udders.  
 You cannot afford to lose any of the  
 pigs that are fattened this spring. The  
 price of pork is too high for that. There-  
 fore use extra care with both the brood  
 sows and the litters.

James A. Funkhouser predicts in The  
 Breeder's Gazette that before July 1  
 good fat beef cattle will be selling for  
 \$6 a hundred.

Always give your horses a few pounds  
 of hay before feeding oats.

The editor of The Southern Live Stock  
 Journal believes that crossing the hack-  
 ney on the ordinary light harness horse  
 of this country would produce a much  
 improved animal.

Fat hens do not lay. Lean, fresh meat  
 is good for egg production.  
 Ensilage is certainly healthful for both  
 cows and sheep.

Is it a slander or not—the story that  
 there are more dogs than sheep in the  
 state of Minnesota.  
 There are chemical preparations which  
 easily kill in the bud the horns of young  
 calves, that, too, without much pain.  
 This is the best way of dehorning.  
 Barbed wire fencing will keep out the  
 coyote, a western live stockman says.

**DR. W. B. PENNY**  
**Dentist.**  
 Office South side Main street, in office room  
 vacated by Dr. L. F. Huffman, Stanford, Ky.

**Farmers Bank & Trust Co**  
 OF STANFORD, KY.  
 is now fully organized and ready for business with  
**Paid up Capital of - \$200,000.**  
**Surplus, 20,000.**

**SUCCESSOR to THE LINCOLN NATIONAL**  
**BANK OF STANFORD.**  
 Now closing up with the same assets and under  
 the same management.  
 By provisions of its charter, deposits are as  
 fully protected as are deposits in National  
 Banks, the shareholders being held individually  
 liable to the extent of the amount of their stock  
 therein at the par value thereof, in addition to the  
 amount invested in such shares. It may act as  
 executor, administrator, trustee, etc., as fully as  
 an individual.  
 To those who entrusted their business to us  
 while managing the Lincoln National Bank of  
 Stanford, we tender our many thanks and  
 trust they will continue to transact their business  
 with us, offering as a guarantee for prompt atten-  
 tion to same, our twenty years' experience in  
 banking and as liberal accommodations as are con-  
 sistent with sound banking.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
 OF STANFORD, KY.  
**Capital Stock \$200,000**  
**Surplus 20,500**

Attention of the public is invited to the fact  
 that this is the only National Bank in Stanford  
 under the provisions of the National Bank Act  
 deposits are secured by the capital  
 stock, but by the stockholders' liability for an  
 amount equal to the stock, so that depositors of  
 this institution are secured by a fund of \$400,000.  
 Five sworn statements of the condition of the bank  
 are made each year to the United States govern-  
 ment and its assets are examined at stated inter-  
 vals by government agents, thus securing addition-  
 al and perfect safety to depositors.  
 This institution, originally established as the  
 Deposit Bank of Stanford in 1858, then re-orga-  
 nized as the National Bank of Stanford in 1865 and  
 again re-organized as the First National Bank of  
 Stanford in 1886, has had practically an uninter-  
 rupted existence of 35 years. It is better supplied  
 now with facilities for transacting business promptly  
 and liberally than ever before in its long and  
 honorable career. Accounts of corporations, edu-  
 cational, firms and individuals respectfully solici-  
 ted.

The Directory of this Bank is composed of  
**T. J. Foster, of Stanford;**  
**Fosterus, Reed, Lincoln county;**  
**J. W. Hayden, Stanford;**  
**S. H. Baughman, Lincoln;**  
**M. J. Miller, Mt. Vernon;**  
**S. T. Harris, Lincoln;**  
**J. S. Hocker, Stanford;**  
**G. A. Lackey, Lincoln;**  
**T. P. Hill, Stanford;**  
**W. G. Welch, Stanford;**  
**W. P. Tate, Stanford.**  
**OFFICERS.**  
**I. S. Hocker, President;**  
**John J. McRoberts, Cashier;**  
**A. A. McKinney, Assistant Cashier.**

**POSTED.**  
 This notice is posted in pursuance of the  
 act of Congress, approved March 3, 1879, and  
 others not to trespass on our lands without per-  
 mission, as all such will be prosecuted to the full  
 extent of the law.  
**Signed,**  
**M. LACKOWITZ,**  
**T. U. SAWLAND,**  
**W. H. HAYS,**  
**G. L. GAY,**  
**FRED HARTMANN,**  
**R. J. WHITE,**  
**MRS. M. MARTIN,**  
**J. L. BECK.**







W. P. WALTON.

**EIGHT : PAGES.**  
EVERY FRIDAY.

EVERY ONE who has attended a democratic convention in Louisville in the last ten years will remember the venerable form of Ex-Gov. David A. Merritt, who was always on hand to bid the boys God speed in the good old cause in which he had fought for so many years. Well, the old gentleman will be seen no more. He was gathered to his fathers Tuesday morning last, after an honorable career of 93 years. He was born in Louisa county, Virginia, in 1800 and moved to Kentucky when a boy. He entered political life young and for 13 terms was a member of the Legislature, once being honored with the speakership. He was a member of the constitutional convention of 1850 and was territorial governor of New Mexico from 1853 to 1857. His chief claim to fame, however, was that he succeeded Henry Clay in the U. S. Senate, on the death of the great Commoner, by appointment of the governor of Kentucky. He retired from politics in 1885 and has since lived quietly and pleasantly on his farm in Jefferson county, near Louisville.

ORGANIZED labor got both its eyes blacked by decisions of the U. S. courts this week. An engineer was fined at Cleveland for contempt in refusing to pull freight from a boycotted road, the decision declaring in effect that an engineer may quit at any time in good faith, but when out on a run must complete his run. The judge holds that the Interstate Commerce law binds the railroads to do certain things and it ought to be equally binding on their employees. The other decision, if sustained, will take from labor its most powerful weapon, the boycott. Judge Taft promptly granted an injunction restraining Chief Arthur from promulgating the boycott rule of the Brotherhood of Engineers, declaring that "if it be enforced the members enter into a criminal conspiracy against the railroad company and their organization in that case becomes illegal."

MUNICIPAL elections were held in Ohio Monday and this is the way the Enquirer headlines the result: We've got 'em again. The other fellows make a showing in spots, but the sweep of democracy is almost clean. Cleveland (not Grover) elects a democratic mayor. Columbus (not Chris) remains in the popular column. Dayton democrats sweep everything worth having. Springfield keeps step to the music of democracy, and even Toledo shows an inclination to enter the fight. Stenhouseville republicans elect a dead man to office. Results in the various cities and towns throughout Ohio that are gratifying to democracy.

It was given out some time ago with much show of authority that Mr. Cleveland would appoint no ex-officio holders and but few if any editors. Both of these rules were smashed Tuesday, when he appointed H. C. Ashton, editor of the Flemingsburg Democrat and post-master under his former administration, to the position again. This will cause hope to spring eternal in the hearts of the other ex's, of whom our friend, Bro. J. R. Marrs, of the Record-Homestead, is one of which, and who of all men we trust will not be disappointed. He made Danville a capital post-master, and ought to be permitted to do so again.

CHICAGO has again demonstrated that she is democratic to the bone. Carter Harrison was elected mayor of the city for the fifth time Monday by a plurality over the allied republican and citizens' ticket, of 20,000. The entire democratic ticket was also elected by about the same plurality. The city is to be congratulated that a democrat and a Kentuckian will do the honors during the World's Fair.

THE Legislature is still hammering on a bill to reduce the salaries of circuit judges from \$3,000 to \$2,400. It had better be at more important business. The present salary is small enough for a good man, and no other kind ought ever to occupy the bench, with the fortunes and lives of men largely in their hands.

DEMOCRATS should bear in mind that to-morrow afternoon, 5th, has been fixed by the State Central Committee for the election of a committeeman in each precinct. Don't fail to go to your regular voting place and cast your vote for the best man to represent you in the party's councils.

"UNCLE JOE" ALEXANDER, who used to be so successful a hotel keeper, seems to be playing in bad luck as his days on earth dwindle in number. He has just been forced to assign again, his new venture, the Merchants' Hotel, Louisville, proving a flat failure.

With the legislature costing \$1,000 a day and the convicts \$350, bankruptcy will soon begin to stare the State in the face. The worst feature is that neither body is doing anything to assist in liquidating the outlay.

This fact that a man can stand up in a prize ring and knock another out in so many rounds, does not make a theatrical actor of him, but managers recognizing that they are drawing cards, have very willingly given them a chance. Consequently we have had Sullivan, Corbett and such gentry at nansseam. The business ought to stop with the prize fighters, but it doesn't. Their wives, their sisters, their cousins and their aunts, who think the prowess of their relatives has brought them into notice, are now seeking histrionic honors. Mrs. Corbett is the latest debutante, and but for the fact that she is the wife of the champion, would be pronounced such an utter failure that she would hardly ever appear again.

It really begins to look like Frankfort is to lose the State Capital. A large majority of the legislators interviewed have expressed themselves in favor of removal, with a nip and tuck sentiment between Louisville and Lexington. Our member, Hon. D. B. Elmiston, favors Lexington. If money talks, though, as it usually does, it will be hard to resist Louisville's million-dollar offer.

THERE is no sentimental humbuggery about our Grover. He fired Bob Lincoln last week and now Fred Grant has been made to walk the plank. He believes in the good old democratic idea that there should be no office-holding aristocracy in this country and that a man is not entitled to office simply because his daddy held one creditably.

Of the noted "306" who held out for a third term for Grant, 65 are dead. A reunion and a banquet at Washington has been arranged for the 25th and over 100 have accepted invitations to it. Col. W. O. Bradley is the only one of the band in this section and he will doubtless be present and thrill the others with his oratory.

WHEN a man writes as nicely of us as this we can afford to let him say we are 61 or any other age he chooses to name. The superannuated Blakely, of the Newport Daily Journal, prints this in a recent issue:

COL. WALTON, of that most excellent paper, the INTERIOR JOURNAL, celebrated his 61st birthday last Sunday and very gracefully tells of it in these stirringly truthful words: [Here follows the conversation with the old lady, published in last Friday's paper, which of course had no reference to the editor. No one would take him to be over 25.] Those whose pleasure it is to know the chivalrous and accomplished editor of the best all-round paper in Kentucky will at once concede that the lady was, very naturally, deceived by his youthful appearance; for, really, Walton does not look to be much more than 50, though many will be surprised to hear the admission from his own lips that he is 61. But here's to you, old man; may you live to see your 61st; and, if you are no less deserving the good will of your friends then than you are now, you ought to count yourself a happy man.

**NEWSY NOTES.**

—The noted Ashland House, at Lexington, has been rechristened the Hotel Reed.

—The Kansas elections show strong republican gains. The populist fever has run its course.

—The effort to increase the salaries of the judges of the Kentucky court of appeals failed, 41 to 21.

—The little town of Hinton, on the Cincinnati Southern, was nearly entirely wiped out by fire.

—Nearly the whole of the town of Clarksville, Va., is in ashes. Two negroes were burned to death.

—A jealous negro at Cincinnati gave his mulatto wife two minutes to pray and then cut her head off with an ax.

—In a fight between Chester Cavanaugh and Frank Cobb, at Boxville, Cobb was killed and Cavanaugh was seriously wounded.

—Four ladies of a pleasure party were drowned in that beautiful body of water, Lake Ponchartrain, at New Orleans, by their boat capsizing.

—The democratic candidate for governor of Rhode Island secured a plurality, but is not elected because he did not get the required majority.

—A. R. Sutton made an assignment to the Columbia Finance and Trust Company. Fourteen thousand barrels of whiskey are named in the deed, but not located.

—The Commercial Bank of Australia, with a paid-up capital of \$5,000,000, a subscribed capital of \$15,000,000 and deposits of \$50,000,000, has suspended payment and shut up shop.

—The Whitestone warehouse of the Allen-Bradley Distillery Company was destroyed by fire at Louisville, with 12,000 barrels of whisky stored therein. The loss is approximately estimated at \$200,000, exclusive of the tax the government will lose on the whisky.

—The latest appointments are James O. Brodhead, of Missouri, Minister to Switzerland; Bartlett Trip, of South Dakota, Minister to Austria-Hungary; Eben Alexander, of North Carolina, Minister to Greece, Romania and Serbia; Jas. E. Neal, of Ohio, Consul at Liverpool; J. S. Ewing, of Illinois, Minister to Belgium; T. T. Crittenden, Consul General to Mexico; Louis C. Hughes, Governor of Arizona, and W. T. Thornton, Governor of New Mexico.

—The large flouring mill of J. C. Carroll & Co., at Richmond, was consumed

by fire. Loss, \$15,000; partly insured. It is thought to have been the work of incendiaries. The night previous fire visited the same plant, but was extinguished without doing much damage. This makes six fires for Richmond within three weeks.

—Near Morgantfield, while Taylor Oliver, his wife and daughter, Miss Abbie, and Henry Delany were returning home after Delany had been compelled to marry Miss Oliver, whom he had betrayed, they were fired upon by men supposed to be Delany's friends. Miss Oliver was mortally wounded and her father fatally hurt. Mrs. Oliver escaped unharm and Delany joined the men who fired the shots. He has been arrested, together with George P. Henry, Frank Holt and George Delaney. The prisoners are likely to be lynched.

—William Edmund Curtis, of New York, to be assistant secretary of the treasury; Charles Hamlin, of Massachusetts, to be assistant secretary of the treasury; James H. Eckels, of Illinois, to be controller of the currency; James F. Melone, of the District of Columbia, to be assistant treasurer of the United States; T. Stobe Farrow, of South Carolina, to be 2d auditor of the treasury; John B. Brawley, of Pennsylvania, to be auditor of the treasury for the post-office department and James W. Willie, of Florida, to be deputy 5th auditor of the treasury, are some of the latest appointments.

**DANVILLE.**

—Henry Fry, "Laughing Henry," a well known colored man of Danville, is dead at Louisville.

—Judge W. E. Varnon and wife, of Stanford, were in town Wednesday. Mrs. J. K. McGowan has returned from Henderson.

—Mr. J. R. Russell and Miss Gertrude Pipes obtained marriage license Tuesday evening. Both belong to this county, near town.

—Rev. Cooley, of Louisville, has received a call from the Episcopal church here, which he has under consideration. He is in town and will conduct services Sunday.

—Robert Hans, of Denton, Texas, through W. S. Dawnton, has sold the store room on Main street, occupied by Caldwell & Lanier, to Miss May Moberly for \$5,000.

—Miss Nannie Turner, of Campbellsville, who was married to Charles E. Long, of Louisville, Wednesday, has been a frequent visitor to her cousin, Mrs. James H. Gentry, of Danville.

—W. H. Hicks, who removed his wagon shop to Bargain some months ago, is back again and occupies his old stand on Walnut street near the Christian church. Bill didn't like the edifice monarchical institutions of Mercer county.

—Mr. W. F. Davis left Tuesday for Galveston, near which growing city he has valuable lands. Judge McFerran was in Liberty this week on legal business. Rev. J. W. Lynch left Tuesday for Williamsburg, where he will join Rev. Green Clay Smith and others of a fishing party.

—Dr. Fayette Dantap, surgeon for the C. S. railway, was called to Burgin Wednesday to attend James Shropshire, an esteemed employe of the road, who had his arm broken by a protruding timber on a passing train. After Dr. Dantap's visit Shropshire was sent by the next passenger train to Junction City, near which place his family live on the farm of W. E. McFee.

—Rev. Hawkins, of Paris, is holding a revival at the Green street colored Baptist church. Wednesday night he walked down the aisle during services and invited all sinners to come to salvation. Miss Georgia Allen was one of the congregation and so resented the imputation of being a sinner that she got awfully mad and threatened to whack the parson over the head with her umbrella. She said she did not intend to be insulted by any such a blank-blank yellow son of a blank. Georgia has been summoned before the police court and will no doubt be punished severely.

—A colored young man giving the name of Wm. Garfield and a fortune-teller by profession, died at Willis Mason's home on Green street Monday evening, and was buried in the colored cemetery Tuesday. Garfield probably died of consumption, as he was much emaciated and had a cough. He said he had recently been at Stanford and showed papers to prove that he was a genuine and no mistake fortune teller. He had wandered to a negro house near Mock's distillery and had been turned out Sunday on the road to die, when George Donoghay, a kind hearted man of his own color, took him into his wagon and brought him to town. He was from 25 to 30 years old and said his home was in Indiana.

—The board of council met Tuesday night and elected Alex. Anderson, judge; C. C. Fox, attorney; F. N. Lee, clerk; B. J. Durham, treasurer; John A. Heron, assessor; G. T. Helm, chief of police. H. W. French and J. R. Moore were appointed night watchmen. Some surprise is felt over the defeat of Mr. J. R. Dodds for assessor, as he received the nomination at the hands of the democratic caucus a few days ago, which it was generally understood, entitled him to the S. democratic votes in the council, which stands S. democrats to four republicans. Three ballots were taken in this contest Tuesday night, the last one standing 7 to 5 in favor of Mr. Heron. A committee of councilmen was appointed to invite

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the Capital removal committee here, to extend to them our best courtesies and make every effort to have the State Capitol located in Danville.

—C. P. Hicks, formerly of Sugar Creek, is the guardian of two gray kittens, whom he adopted after their mother deserted them five or six weeks ago. They stayed in his room in the third story over Rowland's shoe store and had the roof of the two story building adjoining and eastward for a playground. They enjoyed good health and progressed gradually towards cat hood until about two weeks ago, when one night as Mr. Hicks was seated in his room, he noticed that one of his wards had become very much excited. It looked around wildly for a moment and then ran across the room three or four times like a race horse, winding up by bolting against the wall and falling it seemed in a dying condition. It did not die, however, but lay four or five days perfectly helpless, except that it could raise its head and out its body and limbs seemed paralyzed. After four or five days it gradually recovered and then one night the other kitten "was taken" the same way and now lies as the other did, unable to move any part of its body but its head and neck. The kind hearted guardian has done all that he could for his pets and even went to the country and gathered a bunch of catnip for them, as he had learned that catnip would cure all manner of cat-nip connected with cat. But time as well as cat-nip seems necessary and time only will tell whether the second patient is to recover or not.

**CHURCH AFFAIRS.**

—Rev. J. H. Juman will preach at Rowland Sunday April 9 at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

—The Williamsburg Times says that the meanest man in Whitely county is a Baptist preacher.

—The American Bible Association intend to distribute free a quarter or a million copies of the Bible during the World's Fair.

—The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States will convene at Macon, Ga., in the First Presbyterian church, May 15th.

—The board of directors has been named and \$50,000 subscribed for the Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, and it is expected that it will be ready to open this fall.

—Rev. R. D. Harding, of Somerset, and Rev. W. E. Ellis will exchange pulpits Sunday, and the latter hopes that a full congregation will turn out at his church here to greet the visitor.

—It is reported from Washington that President Cleveland has decided to appoint Judge Wm. Lechman, of Minneapolis, Minn., commissioner of pensions.

## MERCURIAL

Mr. J. C. Jones, of Fulton, Ark., says of \$\$\$ "About ten years ago I contracted a severe case of blood poison. Leading physicians prescribed medicine after medicine, which I took without any relief. I also tried mercurial and potash remedies, with unsuc-

## RHEUMATISM

cessful results, but which brought on an attack of mercurial rheumatism that made my life one of agony. After suffering four years I gave up all remedies and commenced using S. S. S. After taking several bottles, I was entirely cured and able to resume work.

\$\$\$ is the greatest medicine for blood poisoning to-day on the market."

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And ask a continuance of the patronage extended the firm of Higgins & VanArsdale, and will make it to the interest of others to trade with me. The books and accounts have been transferred to me and I will continue the latter with all who desire.

Clothing, Boots and Shoes will be sold regardless of cost to close out stock.

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PERSONAL POINTS.

Miss MOLLIE DAUGHTERY has returned from Louisville.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. S. WITHERS went to Louisville Wednesday.  
Mr. E. H. JONES, the Pineville merchant, spent several days here.  
Mr. W. O. GOODLOW, of Danville, was here on legal business yesterday.  
Miss JAMES CARSON, of Crab Orchard, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Ramsey.  
Miss MINA PHILLIPS, of Madison, is the guest of Miss Mary McKinney.  
FRANK JONES presented his sister, Miss Rose, with a beautiful phonograph for an Easter gift.  
Mr. S. C. LUCKY, after a pleasant stay of six weeks with relatives and friends, returned to Atlanta Wednesday.  
Miss MAGGIE BUCHANAN, who has been with her sister, Mrs. John A. Haldeman, in Louisville, since Christmas, returned to Crab Orchard yesterday.  
Misses MAMIE LYNN, Ella May Saunders and Alice Lynn and Messrs. C. E. Tate, Walter Saunders and C. H. Holmes will attend the Collegiate oratorical contest in Lexington to-night.  
GEN. JOHN S. WILLIAMS was meeting Miss Mary Varmon, of Stanford, at Winchester depot without recognizing her and exclaimed: "Oh, I am glad colonel reminded me. Your father, Judge Varmon, was my best man at my first wedding, we being then, in 1845, young lawyers at Paris. My first marriage took place on the farm here in Clark, where my daughter, Mrs. Holloway, now lives." Gen. Williams remarked that he married two of the handsomest and brightest women in Kentucky.—Col. Craddock in Paris Kentuckian.

CITY AND VICINITY.

NOVELTIES at Danks, the Jeweler's.  
Oxton sets and garden seeds at A. A. Warren's.  
GARDEN seeds of all kinds at W. H. Wearden & Co's.  
Lot of shade trees for sale. J. C. Thompson, Lancaster.  
STRAWBERRIES, radishes, lettuce and fish at H. Hampton's to-day.  
Nice light spring shoes at greatly reduced prices at T. J. Hatcher's, Yenglers' Stable.  
Buy your seed Irish potatoes of W. H. Wearden & Co., and get the best at the lowest price.  
We have received a full stock of Butterick's Patterns. Any pattern sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of catalogue price. Severance & Son.  
NEW CRAIG and J. H. Walls have opened a store-room on Lancaster street for the purchase of country produce. See their ad. and patronize them.  
It is especially urged that each member of the fire company be present at the meeting on Wednesday night, 12th. Important business is to be transacted.  
"The Reign of the Demagogue," said to be the best of John Temple Graves, lectures, will complete the course next Monday night. If you haven't a ticket already secure one and you will be amply repaid.  
OPENING.—The ladies are invited to attend my summer opening of millinery, which will be found to be unusually large and comprehensive, next Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8. Miss Mary Davies Duddar.

The Stanford Circulating Library, with 25 paid-up shares, is now open to the stockholders, each of whom can get a book for each share and keep it not exceeding two weeks. W. S. Burch is librarian and the library is in Judge Allen's office.  
A MONSTROSITY.—J. H. Gidner says that one of a litter of five pigs on his farm was eight feet long, had the face of a human and with the exception of four legs, looked like a snake. It lived only a short time, but it has been preserved in alcohol for examination.

A army of 100 men and many wagons passed through here from Casey Tuesday, bound for the mountains to peel an bark. The men were orderly here, but at McKinney they are said to have had up on red-eyes and to have had a general fight among themselves, in which one or two were badly hurt.

A SLEDDING SCALE.—On the morning after the cyclone Mr. Stephens, of the firm of Stephens & Knox, Rowland, was confident that their loss was \$5,000. A week later they figured it at \$1,500 and now they find that it is less than \$500. They have disposed of all of their damaged goods and are nearly straight again. Give them a call.

NEXT Monday will be county court and annual horse show day. A tremendous crowd will be in town to see the finest display of horse flesh that has ever been made here. Our horse columns indicate that the business is vastly increasing in this section. We have almost double as many advertisements of horses as we had at this time last year and still there's more to follow.

BOARDS, with or without rooms, wanted. Mrs. Rannie Hurks.

Eggs.—Light Brahmas and Buff Cochins eggs for sale. E. B. Caldwell, Stanford.

ALAS and ALACK! The circus will not come to Stanford as proposed, but will pitch its tents at Junction City instead, on the 20th.

The bright sunshine and April showers are bringing forth May flowers in advance of the time. The weather has been such as to make vegetation hump itself, and you can almost see the leaves and grass grow. "Fair and warmer Friday" is the forecast of the signal service.

The new fence around the Christian church can not be called a thing of beauty. It is decidedly un-ornamental, tho' it may be useful in hitching horses. A post-and-rail fence in the centre of town is calculated to give that provincial appearance most of us try to avoid.

The Advocate takes the pains to tell its constituency that the eclipse of the sun will be visible in all parts of Boyle and that it will not be necessary for the people to journey to Danville to see it, as they did a few years ago, under the impression that it could be seen nowhere else.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has secured the right to build a hall over the store room being built by Mr. Isaac Hamilton for Stephens & Knox and are going to fit up a fine one. It will be 60x25, with 12 foot ceiling. They have long needed such a room for the meetings of the order.

No such stock of goods was ever shown in our city as we now have open and ready for your inspection. Dress goods in every grade and weave; trimmings to match and notions in great variety. Shoes in all grades. In carpets, oil cloths and mailings we have an immense stock. Come and see. Severance & Son.

Mr. A. K. DENNY, applicant for collector, says that Gov. McCreary told him that he had not decided which of the 19 applicants for the position he would recommend. Mr. Denny added he is hopeful that he will be accorded the honor, but that he is not sanguine of it. Among the other pilgrims to the Meca this week are Judge W. E. Varmon, G. B. Cooper, Jr., and so on.

Owing to the difficulty of making collections, the Pennington Bros. at Mill-dorado have assigned. Squire T. M. Pennington, father of the boys, who came down the other day, says that the liabilities are less than \$1,000, with assets much more than sufficient to meet them. A little time was all that was wanted and he thinks they will soon be on their feet again.

DEATH.—James Dougherty, the well-known blacksmith, died at McKinney Tuesday, aged 69. He was a widower for the second time and the three children that he leaves are all grown. The old man has had a hard struggle for years to keep the wolf from his door, consequently he was unable to keep his dues paid up with the Old Fellows and he was dropped from the membership, but the lodge here generously donated \$25 towards his burial expenses. The remains were interred in Buffalo Cemetery, Wednesday afternoon, after a short service there by Rev. A. V. Sizemore.

ONE of the most amusing tricks ever played on a young man in this town of trick-playing was worked on a guileless youth Tuesday night. He had heard a gentleman say to his sweetheart, "I'll meet you at the same place Tuesday night," the same place being a letter on the front verandah, but in his blind jealousy they thought that it meant some clandestine business and he resolved to sift the matter to the bottom. He related his tale of woe to a friend and that friend promised to help him out. The friend came for him at the proper time Tuesday night and together they went to the scene, where horror of horrors! there sat, in the garden, his true love by the side of his rival, whose arm was gently entwined around her yielding form. The girl (?) was saying, "Oh, dearest, I am not worthy of such blind devotion," when the y. m., unable to restrain himself, flung the game. The man in the case, with a hot "What do you mean, sir?" drew his pistol and fired it, the y. m. thought right between his eyes. He took to his heels, rushed into another party, who claimed to be out after robbers, and who each gave him a pistol salute, and ran into a crew, which he badly disabled, finally getting back to town with his eyes hanging out on his cheeks, his tongue protruding and his breath nearly gone. Another funny part of it was the "friend" who led him to the slaughter, came across the man at the place, as he thought by his remarks, and he too incontinently flung several bullets whistled past his ears. It was a clear case of a kiter getting bit and he is not enjoying the joke much more than the other sucker, who shall be nameless here forevermore. The man who played the "kid" in the case is a strawberry blonde, whose light moustache was not observable in the gloaming, even if the youth had been less excited. He, we mean the "girl," was attired in beautiful Mother Hubbard and acted his part very naturally, even to fainting when the pistol was fired.

P. S.—The y. m. says he was onto the first business and was only caught by the robbery scheme.

FOR RENT.—Two rooms over Severance & Son's store, cheap. Apply to W. N. Craig, or Dr. Steele Bailey.

THERE were six contestants for the honor of representing Public Park Academy at the declamatory contest at Harrodsburg June 9th—John Lynn, Jas. James Mendelsohn, Thomas Shanks, Apperson Nevins, Wm. Darst and James Sanfley. The judges were Messrs. W. G. Welch, J. B. Paxton, W. E. Grinstead and John Bell Gibson. All the boys acquitted themselves well, but it was the unanimous decision of the judges that James Sanfley was entitled to the coveted honor and he was accordingly chosen.

THERE is a treat in store for the lovers of chaste and elegant music. Dewey Heywood's New York Stars, a superb organization of European and American artists, have contracted to give an entertainment at Walton's Opera House May 1. Of the merits of the individual performers we shall have more to say later. Suffice it now that it is highly recommended by the press and people, who claim that it is first-class in every respect. To secure them the manager had to put up a heavy guarantee, but he believes that such a troupe will be liberally patronized. The admission will be \$1.

WHEN Joe Munday was preaching prohibition in bad English here a few years ago, some of the good ladies who allowed their enthusiasm to get away with their judgment, would have been glad to have seen the editor of this paper hung for daring to criticize him and suggesting that he was a very huge fraud. This too in the face of the fact that he had been with them a number of years and had always deported himself with passable decorum. Well, we are here yet and doing business at the same old stand; while Munday has since more than proved that we "diagnosed" him correctly. Drunkenness, wife-beating and other offenses have been charged to him and now it is reported that he is in jail at Kissimmee, Fla., for cruelly beating his child. If our good lady friends will permit it, we will suggest this moral: Never go back on old and tried friends to take up with a stranger, no matter how plausible he is, until you are pretty certain from reasonable endorsements that he is all right.

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—Wm. M. Durham, a widower of 31, and Miss Fannie K. Kidd, were married yesterday at Mr. D. J. Kidd's, in the O. K. neighborhood.

—Robert Stapleton and Miss Laura Parker, both of the East End, were married at the groom's father's, Isaac Singleton, yesterday.

—C. K. Long, president of the Louisville water works, was married to Miss Nannie Turner, of Campbellsville, Wednesday. The groom came up in a special Pullman car, in which they will take a three-weeks' tour of the East.

—Mr. T. D. Martin, town marshal of Rowland, was married Wednesday to Mrs. Nannie Mahan, a widow of 29, also a resident of Rowland. The ceremony was performed at the groom's home and it is hoped that the union will prove a happy one in every sense of the word. This is Mr. Martin's fourth marriage.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

—Mrs. I. M. Bruce received a dispatch yesterday that her sister, Mrs. Kittie M., wife of John T. Lynn, of Louisville, died at 10 o'clock A. M. She had been ill nearly a year of consumption and the end had been expected for some time. Fully aware of her condition, she spoke resignedly of her death and assured her weeping relatives that God, Who had been her hope in health, was sustaining her in sickness and making her dying bed feel soft as downy pillows are. Seven years ago she professed religion and joined the Presbyterian church, and her lovely Christian life has since been as a lamp to her friends. She was the eldest daughter of the late James M. Wray and Mrs. Mary Wray, the latter with three sisters surviving her. In 1888 she was led to the altar a happy bride by the man who is now crushed with a grief that no one can imagine until he has been called to pass under the rod. May the Lord sustain him, the mother, sisters and her little girl, is the prayer of many sympathizing friends. The remains will arrive on the 2 p. m. to-day and probably be buried during the afternoon, though at the hour this was written no definite arrangements for the interment had been made.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—W. W. Hays bought of T. D. Neal and a mare for \$130.  
—J. S. Bosley sold to Robert Russell two 1,000-pound cows at \$3.  
—W. L. McCarty bought of William White of Madison, a jack for \$450.

—WANTED.—Horses to break and handle. Horses also taken on commission. W. W. Hays.  
—J. F. Cook has bought a half interest in Charley Sandidge and he and E. D. Kennedy will stand him this season. See ad.

—The assignee of J. S. Hawkins & Co., of Jessamine, has sold to a Chattanooga firm 35,000 bushels of wheat at 60 cents on the cars at Burgin.

—The two splendid combined horses, Messenger Denmark, on One Time, and Frank, a Denmark horse, the property of Mr. J. T. Hackley will be here on exhibition Monday.

—F. J. Jones has 80 acres of land and a fine house at Preachersville for sale. Address him there.

—Hon. G. A. Lackey sold to Dr. J. M. Rogers, of Bloomington, Ind., his chestnut sorrel mare for \$300.

—Wool.—I want to buy 100,000 lbs. or more of wool. Will pay highest market price. A. T. Nunneley.

—Spring lambs are already declining in the Cincinnati market. They were quoted yesterday at 7 1/2 to 11c.

—The Arkansas Derby, 1 1/2 miles, was won by Cushing and Orth's Boundless in 1:58, Scroggan Bros' Buck McCann 2d.

—Gus Straus, of Lexington, has purchased Katrina for \$5,200. She is with foal to Iroquois and will be bred to Long-fellow.

—WOOL WANTED.—Bring me your wool and get the highest market price. I want it and will buy it if you will give me an opportunity. Wm. Moreland, Stanford, Ky.

—M. F. Elkin bought of Camenisch Bros. a lot of stall fed heifers at 3 1/2c, of Ottenheim parties a lot of butcher stuff at 3c and of John Cash a lot of butcher stuff at 3 1/2c. He also bought of various parties a lot at 2 1/2 to 3 1/2c.

—The Kelly-Moon land near Big Stone Gap, 1,460 acres, was sold at Commissioner's sale to John C. Haskell agent, for \$75,000. Only about 444 acres carry the timbered seam of coaling coal, which makes the actual price of the coal land \$172 an acre. The remainder of the land is level, affording sites for buildings and coke ovens.

—A complicated suit has been filed in the Circuit Court at Lexington for the possession of the celebrated pacer, Victor Mazzone. The colt was owned by Herman Dubine, who contracted to give Trainer Wm. Boyce one-fourth interest for the colt's training and keep. Capt. Boyce's driver, John R. Farris, drove the colt to his half mile record off 1:04 1/2 and claims that Boyce agreed to give him one-third of his one-fourth interest in Victor Mazzone if he would handle him. Boyce and Farris disagreed in their settlement and Farris took the horse and put him under lock and key and the suit has been brought to give the real owner possession.

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Delivered Regularly and Punctually to your Doors

Every morning at the following Prices:  
For 100 pounds or over..... 40c per hundred.  
For 50 pounds or over..... 45c per hundred.  
For 10 to 50 pounds..... 50c per hundred.  
No less than 10 pounds delivered.  
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I have returned from the cities with a nice line of Millinery which I will sell for a small profit. Goods left over, as fresh as this season's goods, from last season, I will sell at

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The reason I do this is to reduce my stock of goods so I will be able to sell out my business at the best opportunity.  
I cordially invite the ladies to call and examine my goods. I also solicit a share of their patronage.  
MRS. I. M. BRUCE,  
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New Millinery.

My mother, Mrs. Kate Duddar, has just returned from the cities with an elegant line of millinery, embracing

ALL THE NOVELTIES

Of the season, of which she will have full control. She also engaged a

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Mrs. W. T. Beard, who cuts by the only Parisian Scientific Tailor System in the United States, including the Seamstress Garments in Basque, Princess Dresses and Waists, also latest Fads in Skirts and Wraps. Call and examine my stock of Millinery before buying and leave your order for your dresses. Thanking you for past favors we solicit same  
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All new stock and latest designs.  
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A splendid coarse Shoe for men at \$1 and the best Congress and lace Shoe ever offered at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75. A splendid boys' two-piece Suit \$1.50 and up to \$10. Men's Suits beginning at \$4 and running up to \$20. A large line of Neglige and white Shirts 25c up to \$1.25. White Goods, Laces, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs and  
**ALL OF THE NOVELTIES**  
In Dress Goods, Domestic and French Ginghams, Pine Apple Cloths, Canton Cloths, Satteens, &c. If you would dress well come to our house for everything to wear, and if you would buy the cheap. est Carpet you ever had in Cotton, Cotton Chain, all wool Supers, Tapestry and Brussels, Body Brussels, Wilton Velvets and Moquettes you must come to  
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**THE SPRING SEASON,**  
And the Spring in time, and as extra inducement for you to come early, we have marked our goods at such Low Prices as will cause you to wonder how such fine quality of goods can be sold on so small a margin. Call and see us, compare these Goods and Prices with anything you can find and we feel satisfied we can please you and save you money.  
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Our facilities for giving the greatest values for the least outlay, are unsurpassed.  
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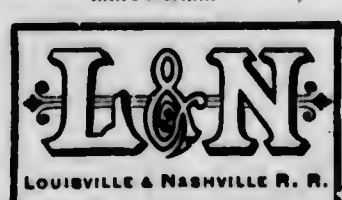
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into an iron ring, a feat beyond the strength

of human beings.

These incidents are heard from every

one's lips. Whether they are simply the

result of some undertaking to frighten

the mountaineers away from the vicinity

of the old still, which is a secret to this

day, and where it is contemplated run-

ning another, it is impossible to say.

## ASSAULTED BY GHOSTS

## A Mountaineer's Rough Treat-

ment in a Haunted Cabin.

## SPIRITS IN AN ILLICIT STILL.

A Local Blacksmith Visits the Cabin on a  
Wager and Is Severely Mal-treated by In-  
visible Assaultants—A Tale of Mystery and  
Moonshine.The mountaineers in the vicinity of Rones-  
verte in Greenbrier county, W. Va., have  
been having considerable excitement lately  
over the doings of some "spooks" in and  
about a ruined cabin up among the peaks  
of "Sawdown ridge," as the backbone of the  
mountain range is called by the inhabitants  
there. The cabin has borne a bad reputa-  
tion for the past 30 years, the mountaineer  
people declaring it to be haunted and avoid-  
ing it as much as possible. Old Anderson  
Crowe, a notorious moonshiner of antebel-  
lum days, once occupied it and was found  
dead one day, lying across its doorway with  
a bullet in his forehead.Crowe's ghost was supposed for long years  
after his murder to haunt the cabin and to  
make life unendurable for any one who  
ventured within a mile of it, but the old  
story had nearly died out when it was re-  
vived recently by the narration of some re-  
markably unpleasant and gruesome expe-  
riences by various travelers through the  
mountains. No two of the stories appear to  
agree as to the details of what took place,  
but all of them tell of the mysterious ap-  
pearance and unexplainable disappearance  
of a man and a dog, sometimes one, some-  
times the other, and sometimes both.Every night the cabin is illuminated with  
blue flames, which are declared to cast no  
shadow, and inside can be seen strange fig-  
ures of men, and occasionally that of the  
dog, which hangs up and down, howling  
frightfully, says a correspondent of The  
Times of Philadelphia. Many people have  
tried to follow the dog and have seen it ap-  
parently come upon a trail of blood, in fol-  
lowing which it soon distanced its pursuers,  
leaving them wandering about the moun-  
tain side in the darkness.The figures seen in the cabin are very in-  
distinct and have only been made out to be  
those of men dressed in rough mountaineer  
attire, though some declare they have seen  
the glitter of a uniform or two among  
them. Several nights the crowds collected  
in front of the old structure have had show-  
ers of stones hurled at them by ungen-  
tlemenly hands, and curiosity seekers have in  
a good many instances gone home with lumps  
on their heads, black eyes, broken or bent  
noses and various contusions on the body.The local blacksmith, one Jeff Wither-  
spoon, who boasts he fears neither ghost  
nor man, recently made a wager, including  
his anvil and tools, that he would not only  
enter the cabin, but that he would remain  
there for one hour by the watch. With-  
erspoon, armed with a trusty 6-shooter load-  
ed by himself and not "monkeyed with by  
no chap as was getting up this here busi-  
ness," as he put it, and a well trained,  
powerful bulldog, walked resolutely into  
the ruined, weather shattered hut and  
found to his amazement that the interior  
was entirely dark, though he had but that  
instant left outdoors where the whole had  
seemed as bright as day, and, as he after-  
ward learned, was still so to the lookers on.

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## HIS MOAN.

She will "reel!" Her voice, I own,  
Is music to my ear, and I am  
And if she speak or if she sing  
"This like an angel's whispering  
Meant for one listening heart alone,  
Her lips, the sweetest ever known,  
By tiny teeth white pearls are sown;  
But, ah, what grief those lips can bring—  
She will "reel!"Her slender waist is beauty's zone—  
No truer eyes on earth's creation,  
So fair, so fond, so dear a thing,  
Alas, alas, she has her string!  
To all the world I make my moan—  
She will "reel!"  
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox in Club.

## She Was Too Mean.

I was amused at the conversation between  
two young girls at 11:00 the other evening.  
It ran something like this and shows that  
femininity is the same the world over:  
"My, Currie, what a lovely hat you have!"  
"Do you think so?" with a pleased smile.  
"Why, I think it is just horrid. I've told  
mamma every time I put it on that I would  
never wear it again."  
"Why, I think it is the most becoming  
thing you ever wore."  
"Do you? Now, I think that tell you  
have got the most bewitching thing I  
ever saw. If I had your style!"  
"I know you are making fun of me."  
"Indeed I am not," indignantly. "Oh,  
where did you get that lovely pin? I think  
it is the prettiest thing I have ever seen."  
"Well, I will tell you. Charlie gave it to  
me—but you must never, never tell. I told  
mamma that Ella B— gave it to me, for  
she doesn't believe in me having a fellow,  
you know.""How mean! I think your Charlie is the  
sweetest fellow I ever saw, with the excep-  
tion of my Fred. You know that Charlie  
singles, and?"  
"Why, Charlie does, and?"  
"Well, if he does, and he hasn't got  
red hair, if my fellow had hair as red as  
your Fred has, I?"  
"Well," indignantly, "if he has got red  
hair, he doesn't have to carry a telescope, or  
a compass, or a fieldglass, or a sextant to  
find out where he is at. Charlie went down  
by the electric light works at Little Falls  
the other night. He heard the engine in  
the works pulling away. Being nearsight-  
ed, he couldn't see where he was. He was  
found there standing patiently in the morn-  
ing, and a switchman noticed him and went  
up to him and asked him what he was do-  
ing there. "Waiting for the train to go by,"  
he said, pointing to the electric light works.""Oh, you mean that! You just made  
that up out of whole cloth. Anyway your  
Fred is accused of setting fire to the build-  
ings destroyed in Little Falls. I heard that  
he laid down in the hay at the Rockton  
park, and his hair set fire!"  
As there was a strong prospect of a fight  
right at this point the observer got away  
from the scene as quickly as possible.—Lit-  
tle Falls Budget.

## New Attraction.

"Well, what is it?" asked the judge.  
"It's just this way," explained the caller  
who had dropped in from the opening of  
the court. "You see, I am boss of the dime  
museum round the corner here, and I have  
been having the fat woman and the living  
sketches get married so often that it has be-  
come what the profane call a first-class chest-  
nut. See? Now, I've been thinking that a di-  
vorce suit would be about the proper thing  
to catch the jaspers, and I called to see if I  
could get you to hold court for de trial in  
my place. I think I kin let you in for 20 per  
cent of de gate money. Is it a go?"—Lit-  
tle Falls Budget.

## The Wreck.

Mrs. Freshley—Is this all you are going  
to give me for my birthday? Why, Mr.  
Popple gave his wife a diamond necklace.  
Mr. Freshley (thundered)—So would I if  
she were my wife.—Truth.

## A Warning Voice.

"Claribel," called out the old gentleman  
in a loud, rasping and emphatic voice from  
the head of the stairway at 11:30 p. m., "you  
tell that slick haired, tallish faced, spider  
legged dude in the parlor there to take his  
No. 6 hat and walk off, and if he ever comes  
here again, by jinks, I'll kick him clear up  
through his necktie!"  
"Afford," murmured the young woman  
pensively, "something seems to tell me we  
had better part."—Chicago Tribune.

## A Toast of Merit.

A pretty young girl was corrected one day  
for tapping her foot on the floor.  
While an orchestra played, and the pretty  
girl looked  
At the speaker and thought him a bore.  
"I can't understand why people object  
To the justified side of the wine,  
For what earthly good is the music I hear  
Unless it appeals to my soul!"  
—Boston Budget.

## Who Had It?

Johnson—You ought to be careful about  
leaving your watch on your desk, old man.  
Sampson—Why, don't you think it would  
be safe if I forgot it?  
Johnson—I doubt it. The other day I  
left mine, and the next morning I had to  
ask the janitor what time it was.—Club.

## They Were Not Scared.

Old Gentleman—Now, you children, I'll  
tell you what it is, if you make any more  
noise in front of my house I'll speak to that  
police man.  
Chorus of juveniles (much tickled)—That  
p'liceman! How! We ain't feared of 'im!  
Why, that's father's—Exchange.

## Boudoir Assaults.

"Ethel, Carred Hicks danced with me five  
times last night. What do you think it  
means?"  
"It means that he is a man of unick kind-  
ness of heart, my dear Maud."—Brooklyn  
Life.

## Changed Conditions.

Brown—Why do you want me to buy you  
a dog? You said you didn't want any only  
the other day.  
Little Johnny—But sister didn't have a  
pet cat then.—Truth.

## Method In Her Madness.

She called him a dirty, low dog.  
And then, his eye beaming,  
She said, "But my dear, those fellows, dear,  
My bell dress is being retreating!"  
—Life.

## SHE WAS LOST AT SEA.

## The Pathetic Epitaph of Many

a Brave Ship.

## THE DANGER FROM DERELICTS.

Floating Wrecks and Icebergs Frequently  
Sink Seaworthy Ships—The Case of the  
Naronic Arouses Interest in the Cruel  
Catalogue of Missing Steamers.Speak, for thou hast a voice, perpetual seal  
Lift up thy surges with some signal word:  
Slow where the pilgrims of the waters lie,  
For whom a nation's thrilling heart is sore.  
Popular interest in the Naronic, the long-  
suffering freight steamer of the White Star  
line, has called out opinions from all the  
old experts in seafaring life, and many are  
the curious and affecting stories told by  
them of vessels long lost and recovered.  
There are vast tracts in the ocean in which  
disabled vessels may float for weeks or even  
months without being heard of.

THE NARONIC.

There, for instance, was the English ship  
Dispatch, "lost," as reported, on the way  
from the West Indies to London, and  
neither seen nor heard of for 48 days. Yet  
she came in at last without the loss of a  
man. She had broken her propeller and was  
at the mercy of the winds and waves  
till they drifted her to the Madeira.  
There, for the old Hamburg steamer  
Sch. Ich, which was lost for 60 days, yet  
came into New York all right. And an-  
other White Star line vessel, the Celtic,  
was out 31 days in 1883 without being  
sighted and was then found and towed  
into Liverpool by the Britannic.It is a curious fact that in the middle of  
the Atlantic there is an immense region  
crossed by very few vessels of any kind,  
and a lost one might drift there a long time  
without being sighted. Just three years  
ago there was anxious waiting for news of  
the Thingvall line Danmark, from Co-  
penhagen for New York, with 800 passen-  
gers. After 32 days without tidings the  
steamship Missouri brought in 870 of them,  
the rest having been left at the Azores. As  
for the vessel, it was abandoned at sea to  
become a "derelict."Nevertheless the fact remains that the  
number thus discovered is very small,  
and from the very earliest times this record  
has repeatedly been made in many lan-  
guages: "The vessel sailed and was never  
again heard of."There is no summary approaching to ex-  
tensiveness of the number thus lost, or even of  
discovery at sea. There were all the facts  
known, since the beginning of history, and  
it fatigues the imagination to dwell upon  
it. Shakespeare makes the Duke of Clarence  
dream that he saw as he sank in the  
channel:A thousand fearful wrecks,  
A thousand men that fishes gnawed upon,  
Wedges of gold, great anchors, heaps of pearl,  
Inestimable riches, unvalued jewels,  
All scattered in the bottom of the sea.And another imaginative writer has com-  
puted that the treasure sunk in the ocean  
since the Syrian mariners first dived the  
spongy Atlantic far exceeds all the precious  
stones and metals now on earth. But it is  
the agony of living friends that is most to  
be considered. The event as it must neces-  
sarily be is so easily pictured to the mind.  
The passengers are sunk in sleep or uncon-  
scious of danger, there is a terrific crash,  
a mad, aimless rush, perhaps a few min-  
utes of agonizing dread, perhaps even hours  
of vain struggling, and all is over. Not one  
is left to tell the tale.Thus it was, no doubt, with the passen-  
gers of the President, which left New York  
March 11, 1881, with a large number of pas-  
sengers, including a son of the Duke of Rich-  
mond and many others prominent in New  
York and London society. The best opinion is,  
from the phenomena noted that season,  
that the vessel struck an iceberg and sank  
at once. Similarly the steamship Pacific  
of the Collins line left Liverpool on Jan.  
23, 1856, with 186 passengers, and was never  
again heard of. The same fate befell the  
City of Glasgow and her 480 passengers in  
1851, the ship sinking in 1853 and the  
famous City of Boston in 1859. So many  
have and so many more reports were pub-  
lished of her being sighted that months  
passed before relatives of the passengers  
abandoned all hope. Then a board from  
the Boston's stores was picked up at sea on  
which was a lastly scratched message that  
the vessel was broken up in a gale and was  
then sinking.The pathetic story of the Naronic is still  
fresh in the public memory, not so much on  
account of the number lost as on account of  
the high standing of many of them. In the  
sail and professions, the fact that the crew  
and passengers, including the ship's doctor,  
fired and the sinking of the ship, and the  
fleeing and the affecting sermons and poems  
called forth by the event.When one considers the area of the ocean  
it would at first view seem unlikely that  
two vessels should collide in mid-ocean as  
that bullets fired from opposing armies  
should strike in mid-air. Yet bullets do this  
strike and with surprising frequency, and  
vessels do this collide, the fact being that  
the lines on which they run are, after all,  
but a very small part of the ocean.The regulations are now so strict, how-  
ever, that vessels go from New York to  
Liverpool and return on two lines which  
are to each other as the two sides of a very  
large and somewhat broken ellipse. Hence  
it is that nearly all the collisions for many  
years past have been with "tramp steamers"  
or slow moving sailers. Thus the

THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Aretic struck the French vessel, the Vest, and  
the latter went under instantly, as a  
common sight might be under a steam-  
er. Two British steamers, iron vessels of  
2,000 tons each, the Elphinstone and Red-  
water, struck each other in a fog near  
Point aux Trembles on July 5, 1877. Both  
were going at full speed and struck square-  
ly bow to bow, ripping off the iron plates  
like fine boards and twisting up the im-  
mense stanchions like so much pulp. The  
Elphinstone sank, but the Redwater  
reached port.Another source of danger is in the "derel-  
icts"—vessels abandoned at sea when  
wrecked, but continuing to float—and it is  
believed by seamen that a score of these are  
still at large in the north Atlantic. The  
actual history of some of these equals the

legend







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This Hotel, renovated and furnished, is now in my charge and I intend to conduct it so as to not only maintain the high reputation, but to add to its long list of friends. Special accommodations for commercial travelers and fine rooms for the display of samples.  
**A First-Class Saloon**  
and BILLIARD and POOL ROOMS attached.  
JOSEPH COFFEY.

### LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—Charley Norris and family will move into the Herring property on Richmond street and Mr. Ogg, the photographer, will move into the house vacated by Mrs. Jennings.

—Mr. B. F. Hudson and family moved to the Denny property on Danville street this week. Jim Cunningham and Benton Ashley have returned from an extended prospecting trip through the West.

—Mrs. Jennings and daughter, Miss Lizzie, will move to Paint Lick the first of next week to reside in the future. Mrs. Jennings' son, Will, who is one of the best boys in the world, is engaged in business there.

—John Robinson's circus will exhibit in Lancaster some time in June. For several years past it has been stretching its canvas in Danville, but as the show has been so greatly enlarged this season it cannot afford to stop at such small villages as long-faced Danville.

### HUBBLE.

—A small child of George Owsley died last week of brain fever.

—James Rogers killed a mad dog on Wednesday morning after it had bitten his dogs.

—Sam Engleman settled with the insurance company for \$1,500, cutting him only \$100 on the policy he held for \$1,600.

—Mrs. Nellie Watson has gone to Lancaster to remain with her husband while he is at work there. Thomas Smith is visiting in the Hedgeville neighborhood.

—Dr. O'Neal reports Mrs. James Cox convalescent. J. E. Crow, Mrs. James Spoonmore and Miss Bettie Spoonmore, of Benua Vista, are visiting relatives here this week.

—Mrs. Annie Holtzclaw is out again after some days' confinement. Mrs. Hunter House, of the Hedgeville neighborhood, is on the sick list. Miss Helen Thurmond is having a splendid school here now. James Engleman gave us a hasty call Monday and Tuesday from Madison. Greenberry Bright, Sr., has gone back to the old place to live with his grandson, J. W. Bright, since he moved into his new dwelling.

—S. Dunbar is clearing his farm of stumps by using dynamite, which tears them out and leaves them on the surface. G. A. Swinebroad has bought another family horse for about \$100. Mrs. Fannie Ball bought a 4-year-old work horse for \$85. Some of our farmers are talking corn planting, but none are so foolish as to plant much yet. Wool will be bought and received here at the highest market price this season. Grinding every day at Hubble & Underwood's now on reasonable terms. Robert Earls and Dr. J. B. Owsley have bought some hogs at 6c and will feed them on Owsley's farm here.

### LADIES, YOUR ATTENTION, PLEASE!

I have just returned from the cities with a large and complete stock.

**STOCK OF MILLINERY,**  
which was selected with the greatest care, and to which I have the inspection of the ladies. Miss Nora Welch, who gave much satisfaction, is again with me, and I am in better condition than ever to sell the best goods at the lowest prices. Call and see the new styles.  
MISS LUCIE HEAZLEY.

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Always sells goods lower than any else in town. New stock of Fruit every 1 day.

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The superior train service and fast time of the train from Cincinnati and Chicago via the C. H. & D. and Monon, earn for that line the title of the "World's Fair Route." It is the only line running Pullman safety vestibuled trains and dining cars between Cincinnati and Chicago and the sleepers and compartment cars are the same of Pullman construction and representative of the World's Fair, as duplicates of these trains will be on exhibition in the Transportation Building. A World's Fair Album will be sent to any address north of the Ohio River for ten cents in stamps; to any address south of the Ohio River for fifteen cents in stamps. For albums, rates and information regarding a World's Fair trip address E. H. McCormick, Jr., P. & T. Agt., "World's Fair Route," 200 West 4th Street Cincinnati Ohio.

**Bucklin's Arnica Salve.**  
The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever, chills, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. R. Penny, Stanford, Ky.

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This is an expression the traveling public generally use when they find something that is exactly what they want. This expression applies directly to the Wisconsin Central Lines, which is now admitted by all to be "The Route" from Chicago to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland, Duluth and all points in the Northwest. Their double daily train service and fine equipment offers in duce ment which can not be surpassed. For full information address your nearest ticket agent or James C. Pund, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Chicago, Ill.

**It Should Be in Every House.**  
J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay Street, Sharpsburg, Pa., writes for the benefit of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with pneumonia after an attack of La Grippe when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., writes that Dr. King's New Discovery has done for him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at A. R. Penny's drug store. Large bottles 50c and \$1.

**Electric Bitters.**  
This remedy is becoming well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other eruptions caused by impure blood, will cure all nervousness, indigestion, constipation and all ailments arising from a disordered system. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion, try Electric Bitters. Entire satisfaction guaranteed. Price 50c and \$1 per bottle at A. R. Penny's drug store.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.  
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.  
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The more Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used the better it is liked. We know of no other remedy that always gives satisfaction. It is good when you first catch cold. It is good when your cough is seated and your lungs are sore. It is good in all kinds of a cough. We have sold twenty-five dozen of it and every bottle has given satisfaction. Siedman & Friedman, drugists, Minneapolis, Lake, Minn. 50 cent bottles for sale by W. B. McRoberts, Druggist, Stanford.

My wife was confined to her bed for over two months with a very severe attack of rheumatism. We could not do anything that would afford her any relief, and as a last resort gave Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial. To our great surprise she began to improve after the first application, and by her regular use she was soon able to get up and attend to her house work. E. H. Johnson, of C. K. Knutson & Co., Kensington, Minn., has sold bottles for sale by W. B. McRoberts, Druggist, Stanford.

Persons who are subject to attacks of bilious colic can almost invariably tell by their feelings, when to expect an attack. If Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is taken as soon as these symptoms appear, relief will be obtained. Such persons should always keep the Remedy at hand, ready for immediate use when needed. Two or three doses of it at the right time will usually cure the most severe suffering. For sale by W. B. McRoberts Druggist, Stanford.

Sunshine comes no matter how dark the clouds are, when a person who is borne down by a woman's troubles turns to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If her life is made gloomy by the painful disorders that afflict her sex, they are completely cured. Hulse's nervousness, nervous, "windy", she has new life and strength, invigorating tonic and a soothing and strengthening remedy. It regulates and promotes all the proper functions of womanhood, improves digestion, enriches the blood, dispels aches and pains, brings refreshing sleep, and restores health and vigor. For every painful disorder that afflicts her it is the only remedy so sure and untailing that it can be guaranteed. It doesn't benefit or cure, you have your money back.

### COL. B. W. 20128.

Bay horse, foaled in 1897, record 2:24 1/2.  
1st dam Lady, by Melrose Wilkes 5700, 2d dam, Mag, by Balzora Wilkes, sire of Rosita, 2:56 1/2; Rosita Wilkes, 2:27 1/2, and of the dams of Kentucky Union, 1:41 1/2; Balzora Wilkes, 2:17 1/2; Palony, 2:22; Bonaventura, 2:18 1/2; and Winston, 2:15 1/2.  
Sire by Messenger Chief 1875, sire of 17 and of the dams of 15 in the 2:30 list.  
Melrose Wilkes sired by Red Wilkes, sire of 8, and of the dams of 15 in the 2:30 list.  
Balzora sired by Almalah 15, who has fully 1,000 descendants in the 2:30 list.  
Col. B. W. will make the season of 1893 at our place 2 miles north-east of Stanford, on the Logan creek and Dix River Turnpike.

**At \$10 to Insure a Living Colt.**  
W. R. & E. C. GAINES,  
Stanford, Ky.

**Charley Sandidge.**

Sired by Second Jewel 48.  
1st dam Rowena Webb Russell 744.  
This fancy bred stallion will make the season of 1893 at Cook's Springs 1 1/2 miles east of Stanford.

**At \$10 to Insure a Living Colt.**

Money due when colt is foaled, mare parted with or bred to another horse.  
Second Jewel, by Cunningham's Jewel; he by Washington Denmark.  
Jewel's 1st dam, McDonald's Halcyon; 2d dam by Weller's Crusader.

Charley's dam, Rowena Webb Russell, is one of the finest walking animals on earth, having met and defeated all the crack walkers of Central Kentucky, including stallions and geldings. She is by Funk's Sumpter Denmark, by Goodwin's Sumpter Denmark, by Gaius' Denmark & 2d dam the Tompkins mare.

Charley will be 5 years old April 25th, 1893; bright bay, white feet 1 1/2 hands and is a natural saddle horse. We will warrant him to be a breeder of saddlers.  
COOK & KENNEDY,  
Rowland, Ky.  
E. D. KENNEDY.

## HORSE STOLEN.

On the night of March 23d a BAY HORSE, 7 years old, heavy mane and tail, knot on left hind leg, slight collar mark on left shoulder; in ordinary condition; shows harness marks. A liberal reward will be given for said horse or for information concerning him.  
A. H. FISH, Crab Orchard.

**BARNES : 21739.**

Black horse 3 years old, 16 hands high. Sired by C. F. Clay 2:18.  
1st dam Ella B. by Wm. Welch 3:41.  
2d dam Kate by Gills Vermont.  
3d dam thoroughbred.

C. F. Clay (put 11 in the 2:30 list last year) by Caliban dan Soprano by Strathmore. Wm. Welch by Hamiltonian, 10. Danus is a very handsome and speedy colt and should make a fast record this fall. Will make the season at my place 3 miles from Stanford on the Danville pike.  
**At \$10 to Insure a Living Colt.**  
G. A. LACKEY,  
Stanford, Ky.

**Dick Elmore, Jr.**  
COMBINED STALLION.

Is a beautiful dark bay; 15 1/2 hands high, star in forehead and left hind foot white. Dick Elmore, Jr., was sired by Dick Elmore; he by St. Elmore; he by Alexander's Abdallah, sire of Goldsmith Maid; he by Rysdyk's Hamiltonian, sire of Dexter; he by Abdallah; he by Mambrino; he by Imp. Messenger.  
Dick Elmore Jr., 1st dam was by Medoc; 2d dam by Aratus, he by Imp. Duomed.  
Will make the present season of 1893 at my place 3 1/2 miles from Hustonville, on the Hustonville and Bradfordville Turnpike.

**At \$7 to Insure a Living Colt.**

Dick Elmore, Jr., has proved himself a fine breeder.  
Lain retained on colt for season money. Money due if mare is parted with or bred to another horse.  
RICHARD DOWNEY,  
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## REDEAGLE.

STANDARD.  
Foaled March 20, 1889. Blood bay, black legs, heavy mane and tail, 16 hands high.  
Sired by the world renowned Red Squirrel, the greatest saddle stallion on earth. The winner of three prizes at St. Louis, Mo., fair, as the best saddle stallion any age. Premium \$75. Second as the best saddle stallion, mare or gelding any age; premium \$50. Third as the best model utility stallion, mare or gelding any age; premium \$50.  
A success not achieved by any other stallion on earth before or since, living or dead.  
Red Squirrel sired by Black Squirrel, by Black Eagle &c.  
Red Eagle's dam, Rowena Webb Russell 744, by Funk's Sumpter Denmark, was never defeated in a walking ring by stallion, mare or gelding.  
Red Eagle will be permitted to serve 30 mares.

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The cheapest fee of any stallion in the State, breeding considered.  
Personal attention to stock at owner's risk.  
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Hustonsville, Ky.

## BRYAN 6480.

BY METROPOLITAN 472  
Sire of Rysdyk's Hamiltonian  
Dam JOLETTE

Sire of Fannie Robinson, 2:27.  
Metropolitan by Rysdyk's Hamiltonian, dam Hyacinth by Volunteer, grandam Flora, dam of Dexter and Inductor, by Rysdyk's American Star. Metropolitan is a dark bay, 15 1/2 hands, one of the best, and by many the very best, bred stallion ever foaled. His last foal, Reina Victoria, sold at the St. Ferris sale for \$4,000, the highest price ever paid for a brood-mare at a public sale. Two fillies by Metropolitan, neither of which were ever hocked single, sold at public sale for \$1,200, averaging \$200 each.  
Blood Chief, by Blood's Black Hawk, dam Miss Duncan by Scott's Highlander, grandam by Aratus, 3d dam by 1st Union, 2d dam by Woodley 2:29, Fannie Robinson 2:20, and Chief 2:22. Blood's Black Hawk sired the dams of Von Arion 2:25 and Almalah, Jr., 2:26, and grandam of Belle Braxley 2:20 and Fretting 2:25.  
Bryan is a beautiful bay, foaled June 7th, 1884. He will make the present season 1893 at Moreland 2 1/2 miles north of Hustonville, on the Danville and Hustonville pike.

**At \$10 to Insure a Living Colt.**

He is a sure foot, getter and a true breeder. Lain retained on colt for season money, mares bred to another horse or traded off makes season money due.  
W. S. WIGHAM,  
Moreland, Ky.

## Chancy Denmark,

2:17.  
The fine saddle stallion Chancy Denmark, 2:17, will make the season of 1893 at the stable of the Farmers and Horse, 1/2 of a mile from Hubble's place on the Rush branch turn pike and will serve mares at

**\$10 to Insure Colt 4 Months Old.**

Chancy Denmark, 2:17 is a bay horse bred 16 hands high, foaled in 1887, sired by Hubble's On Time, dam by old Stonewall Jackson. His colts are firm and of good size, and will compare with any colts in the State. We have yearlings and two year olds in our farm; can be seen any time.  
Chancy Denmark is owned and bred by a Missouri man.

## TOM CURTIS

He is a coal black jack, 15 1/2 hands high with out shoe, heavy body and good bone.  
He is by Bourbon Chief, the finest jack in the world, and son of 2:00.  
Bourbon Chief was sired by Reindeer's Hercules, he by Imp. Hercules, and his dam by Imp. Esquiro, Bourbon Chief's dam was by Col. Lear's Imp. Napoleon 3d; 2d dam by Reina Vista; 3d dam by Imp. Castilian. Reina Vista was sired by the great (compromise) he by Tippecanoe; he by Imp. Warrior, which was acknowledged the best in Kentucky. Bourbon Chief's 1st dam was 16 hands 3 inches high without shoes, making him the biggest jack in the world. He is a coal black with nearly nose, and for form, weight, style, action and appearance he has no equal. He serves jennets at \$25 the season or \$40 to insure a living colt.

Tom Curtis' 1st dam by Joe Phelps' big jack and her dam by Sam Phelps' jack; 2d dam by Black Sampson.

## BOURBON CHI

Sired by old Bourbon Chief whose pedigree is given above. His dam was Black Jennet, she was sired by a jack, by Jason Walker's Castilian and out of a full sister to Reina Vista, who was out of a jennet by Black Sampson. Both jacks will stand at

**\$10 to Insure Colt 4 Months Old.**  
The service fee will be due in all cases where mares are parted with or goes out of the country when such fact is ascertained by us, a lien retained on all colts until season fee is paid.  
Mares and jennets kept at reasonable rates, care taken to prevent accidents, but not responsible should any occur.  
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J. H. HILTON.